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TRAVELING SIDEWALK

May be Built at Mozart Park this Summer—Patterned After the World's Fair Traveling Promenade.

A great improvement, and one which when completed will cost several thousand dollars, is contemplated by the directors of the Mozart Park Association. The question of how to do away with the long walk from the incline to the pavilion has been one uppermost in the minds of the stockholders and directors ever since the park was opened, and several ideas have been expressed and considered, which did not meet with entire satisfaction, but at last there is a movement on foot to furnish transportation to the visitors and be a feature of the park.

It is a movable side-walk that will circulate around the park from the head of the incline back to the pavilion, after the style of the one on the World's Fair grounds at Chicago, two years ago. The idea is to have the walk about sixteen feet wide with benches along each side so that those who desire, may sit as they ride around the park, while those who wish to walk can do so, making a novel promenade. The idea of speed will be about the same as that of the World's Fair side-walk, and as the cars come up the incline, the visitors can step on the walk and ride around until they come to the place they desire to leave, and step off.

The representative of the same firm that put up the World's Fair structure, is in the city and will spend several days here, perfecting plans which he will submit to the Mozart park people for their consideration, and if they are satisfied with the arrangement, the firm will get ready to put in the sidewalk early next spring. The hilly formation of the ground will make some clever engineering necessary and will make it impossible for the walk to be completed this season, even though the order were placed at once.

WHOLESALE POISONING

At a Flashing Birthday Gathering—One Man Nearly Died.

A wholesale poisoning took place at Flushing Monday evening, and while no fatalities have been reported, some of the victims are having a very serious experience, says the Martin's Ferry Times. On that date Mr. and Mrs. David Humphrey, who reside near the town, gave a fashionable afternoon party in honor of the host's fortieth birthday. There were thirty-five guests present from Flushing and vicinity and a sumptuous banquet was partaken of at 5 o'clock. Shortly afterward some of the guests began to feel a slight sickness, but this was thought to have been caused from over-eating. The complaints disappeared at 7 o'clock, but several were prostrated before they reached their homes, and others were similarly attacked shortly afterwards. The symptoms were nausea with excessive vomiting. Not a single member of the party of thirty-five others escaped. Frank Mead was worse than any of the others, and for awhile it was thought he could not live. He was slightly improved yesterday morning, but was still in a dangerous condition. It is thought the poison originated with the pressed chicken, but this is not certainly known.

THE WEST LIBERTY BUILDING.

Normal School Regents to Meet and Select Plans Today.

The state board of normal school regents meets this morning in Fairmont. There will be considerable business before the board, but the most important, probably, will be the selection of plans for the new West Liberty building that will replace the building recently consumed by fire. An effort will be made outside of the board is being made to have a West Virginia architect given the work on the West Liberty building. For some time the board has been giving its work to a Baltimore architect, to the exclusion of architects in this state. There is a feeling against such action and it is thought the board will heed the protests and give a home-firm an opportunity on the West Liberty building.

THE RETAIL CLERKS

Association Advancing Early Closing Hours—To-night's Meeting.

In another column of to-day's issue there is a call for another meeting of the Retail Clerks' Association, for this evening, in the chamber of commerce rooms, "Hub" building. This organization will include the clerks of almost all branches of the retail trade and the principal object is to secure uniform closing hours in the stores. Most of the merchants are heartily in favor of the movement and are doing all they can to make it a success. Judging from the interest shown Wheeling will soon be in line with the other cities in the matter of early closing.

The Toll Question.

Last night the board of directors of the Wheeling Railway Company held its regular monthly session. The only out-of-town members present were Messrs. A. M. Jolly, of Beaver Falls, and A. M. Muir, of Cincinnati. The only matter of public interest that came before the board, was the petition of the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly that the company make a special workman's rate. On account of the small attendance at the meeting the board postponed action on this matter.

The Modern Beauty.

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WEST VIRGINIANS

May "Excursion" Over to Canton and Serenade McKinley.

AT REPUBLICAN CLUB MEETING

To-night the idea will be introduced—it is proposed to charter a train on the Wheeling & Lake Erie Road and go over from Wheeling in force—the delegation should easily number from 200 to 300—to night's club meeting.

At to-night's meeting of the Ohio County Republican Club, a suggestion will be made that will without doubt be received with enthusiasm. It is nothing more or less than an excursion from Wheeling to Canton for the purpose of allowing West Virginians to personally congratulate the next President of the United States upon his nomination by the St. Louis convention.

It is proposed to charter a train on the Wheeling & Lake Erie or Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling road, and take over from 200 to 300 Wheeling and Pan Handle Republicans, who would sail to Major McKinley in no uncertain tone that his nomination suited the Republicans of the redeemed Mountain State as the nomination of no other man would suit them.

A train leaving at 1 o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, June 20, would reach Canton late in the afternoon. There the West Virginians would form and march to Mr. McKinley's residence, where he would doubtless respond to assurances of their distinguished consideration. Afterwards there would be time for the Wheeling people to look over the pretty little city that boasts of being the home of the most talked of man in the United States. On the return, it is suggested that the train should leave for Wheeling about 3 o'clock, and arrive here before midnight.

It is thought that a train of eight or ten coaches can be chartered by the Ohio County Republican Club. The club could appoint committees to sell 400 or 500 tickets at about \$1 for the round trip and have a surplus left. It is even possible that 500 or 1,000 Wheeling and Pan Handle Republicans would take advantage of this opportunity to greet Mr. McKinley. The more the merrier. Then, too, if the train departs at 1 o'clock the many employees in the whole sale business district could make the trip, as Saturday is their half-holiday.

In addition to the Canton trip, other important business will come up for transaction at to-night's meeting of the Ohio County Republicans. The marching club that has been talked of will probably be organized and put on a good footing for the campaign, though there is a sentiment that this club should not be formed until after the big conventions. The meeting will take place in Odd Fellows' hall, Chapline and Twelfth streets.

THE SUPREME COURT.

Many Cases Occupied the Attention of the Court Yesterday.

In the state supreme court yesterday, the following cases were heard: Shank vs. Groff et al., from Grant county; appeal and supersedeas allowed, bond \$500.

W. H. Harmer, of Harrison county, was admitted to practice before this court, on motion of Mr. John Bassel.

D. S. Nye, assignee, vs. Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from Taylor county; continued.

A. J. Ward vs. Taylor Ward, from Barbours county; submitted.

F. & R. Windmill Company vs. J. L. Fitzgerald, et al., from Preston county; appeal and supersedeas; submitted.

Melvin Currence vs. W. L. Ward et al., from Randolph county; appeal and supersedeas; continued.

L. W. Talbot vs. W. C. P. & P. Railway Company, of Randolph county; continued.

Greer & Laine vs. Barrett et al., J. M. Bennett's executors, from Tucker county; continued.

M. C. Trobridge et al., vs. W. J. Stone's administrator, from Preston county; submitted.

A. A. Goff vs. Israel Pries, E. E. and B. L. Mouse, from Randolph county; continued.

Weimer, Wright & Watkins vs. Rector & Co., from Taylor county; continued.

Isaac N. Grimes vs. D. A. Bainbridge, from Taylor county; continued.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

L. A. Windsor, of Parkersburg, is at the Stamm.

John Murphy, of Washington, Pa., is at the Howell.

C. N. Koen, of Mannington, was in town yesterday.

John F. Post, of Washington, Pa., is stopping at the Stamm.

F. W. Moon and wife, of West Alexander, were in town yesterday.

James Fryer and wife, of Chester, Pa., are staying at the McLure.

L. A. Brennen, of Sistersville, a prominent oil man, is at the McLure.

W. G. Kohl, of Sistersville, a prominent oil man, was in town yesterday.

O. W. Burdett and wife, of Wheeling, are guests at the Cataract House, Niagara Falls.

John Worthington, of Pittsburgh, manager of the South Penn Oil Company, is at the Windsor.

Mrs. Robert McElowney, of New Martinsville, is the guest of Miss Laura Connor, of Chapline street.

Captain John J. Chipley, of Morefield, one of the directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is at the Windsor.

P. R. Stratton, of Sharon, Pa., the supreme president of the Protected Home Circle, is at the McLure.

H. G. Bowles, Monongah, and G. A. Fleckinger, Parkersburg, both railroad men, are stopping at the McLure.

A. M. Jolly and wife, Beaver Falls, Pa., and J. J. Muir, Cincinnati, directors of the great railway company, were at the McLure yesterday.

Among the West Virginians at the McLure yesterday were: C. P. Mortimer and Alex. Campbell, of Bethany; K. S. Lyons, Elkins; H. W. Harmer, Clarksville.

Among the strangers here to attend the Mt. De Chantal commencement, are: Mrs. J. M. Armstrong and Mrs. Florence Umberger, of Lock Haven, Pa.; Mrs. D. M. Pomeroy, and Miss Eloise McCormick, of Sistersville, and Mr. H. Henke, of Houston, Texas.

Among the physicians in town to attend the meeting of the West Virginia Medical Society are: At the McLure—Dr. M. Campbell, Parkersburg; Dr. W. H. Thayer, Grafton; Dr. W. L. McLane, West Union; Dr. D. C. Louchery, Salem; At Windsor—Dr. and Mrs. G. Vankirk and wife, Grafton; Dr. C. S. Hoffman and wife, Kayser, At Stamm—Dr. E. A. Hill, Shiloh; Dr. C. T. Therman, Weston; Dr. A. L. Bupp, West Union; Dr. R. M. McMillen, Kingwood; and Dr. William W. Golden, of Elkins.

BICYCLE riders, football players and amateur riders, had a seven-day remedy for the rheumatism and bruises of the last week here constantly. In Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

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The Annual Commencement Exercises Take Place this Afternoon—An Attractive Programme Has Been Prepared.

This afternoon at 1:30 o'clock the forty-eighth annual commencement at Mt. de Chantal takes place. It will be one of the most successful in the history of this well known educational institution. Many out-of-town people had already arrived last night, and many others will be here today.

The graduates are Miss Frances Sullivan, Miss Mary Delaplaine Grubb, Miss Frances Tierney, Miss Nora O'Brien, Miss Stella Loughney, Miss Mary Daugherty, Miss Martha Medill and Miss Ada Vankirk, the latter in instrumental music.

The commencement programme is as follows:

Entrance March..... Mendelssohn
Pianos—Misses Flora Umberger, Grace Armstrong, Misses Margaret Jensen, Anna Hoffman.

Violins—Misses Frances Sullivan, Grace Pollock, Miss Sue Maxwell, Chorus—Nymphs of the Wood, Leo Delibes.

The School.

Recitation—Faith and Reason..... Miss Frances Tierney.

Quartet—Finale aus der Suite op. 25..... Misses Frances Tierney, Dorak Misses Anna Hoffman, Frances Sullivan, Misses Alice McLane, Julia Welch.

Duet—Roma..... Fabio Campana.

Misses Mary Grubb, Caroline Gutman, Essay—Sunshine and Shadow..... M. Medill.

Miss Martha Medill.

Dance of the Gnomes..... Fr. Lutz.

Miss Ruth Wolf.

Recitation—La Fol, L'Esperance, et la Charite..... Lamartin.

Misses Emma Heymann, Emily Pollock, Emma Kirk.

Double Quartet—Last Night..... Miss Nora O'Brien.

Halfpenny Kjerulf.

Gundling, Etta Thayer, Misses Flora Umberger, S. Robinson, Misses Caroline Gutman, Emma Forbes.

Recitation—Mary, Queen of Scots..... Miss Nora O'Brien.

Capriccio Brillante op. 22..... Mendelssohn.

(Second Piano Accompaniment.)

Miss Emily Pollock.

Essay—The Ideal Woman..... M. Stella Loughney.

Read by Miss Emma Forbes.

Sacred is the Weeping..... F. Von Suppe.

Miss Mary Grubb.

(With Violin Obligato.)

Recitation—Tears, Tullia biondi.

Miss Eleanor McCracken.

Troisleme Ballade op. 4..... Fr. Chopin.

Semi-Chorus—Lift Thine Eyes (Elijah)..... Mendelssohn.

The Class.

A FINE DISPLAY

Of Farm Implements Made by the Deering Harvester Company—Many Farmers Here to Witness It—The Arrangement of the Extensive Display.

On Wednesday last many farmers from the surrounding country came to Wheeling to witness a display which was novel and instructive. The Deering Harvester Company, of Chicago, through its representative, Mr. W. H. Fryer, made a display of farm machinery, including mowers, binders and hay rakes, on the vacant half square below Twenty-ninth street, between Eoff and Jacob.

On the ground were one hundred mowers with the poles standing perpendicular and a small flag on the top of each; thirty binders and thirty hay rakes stacked by standing three machines together. The arrangement displayed most excellent taste and did great credit to Mr. Fryer and his assistant, George W. Friedel. Quite a number of these machines were sold at a distance from the city and are to be re-shipped.

Bringing up the sides and rear of the display were over one hundred farm teams and wagons, with their occupants, the "horny handed sons of toil." While every one was looking "pretty," a photographer was taking a shot at the display, so it could be re-produced and used for future reference.

The whole of the assembly of farmers then repaired to the Stamm house and were furnished a fine dinner. Taking it altogether, the agricultural implement show was a decided success and the farmers very frankly expressed their opinions of such hearty treatment at the hands of this progressive firm's treatment.

The city representative is Mr. W. R. Dudley, who delivered all of the machines which were displayed Wednesday.

This firm delivered two orders of one hundred and twenty-five machines in two adjacent Ohio towns last week.

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On June 12, 13, 14 and 15 the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets to St. Louis, Mo., at rate of one fare for the round trip account Republican National Convention. Tickets will be good for return until June 21, 1896.

In case the convention continues in session beyond June 21, arrangements will be made to extend the return limit of tickets until the day following adjournment.

For further information call on or address any Baltimore & Ohio ticket agent, or L. S. Allen, assistant general passenger agent, Chicago, Ill.

Take the B. & O. to See the Big Saengerfest Parade at Pittsburgh, Thursday, June 11.

For the above occasion, June 11, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company will sell low rate round trip tickets to Pittsburgh, good returning until the 15th, inclusive. Baltimore & Ohio express train leaves Wheeling at 4:55 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 7:50 a. m.

DIED.

HAZLETT—On Wednesday, June 10, 1896, at 10 o'clock, M., ALFRED, daughter of Robert and Mary J. Hazlett, aged 22 years.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 77 Market street, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

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Oil Sardines, per can..... 3 c
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Fresh Rolled Oats, 12 lbs. for..... 25 c
Fresh Oat Meal, 12 lbs. for..... 25 c
Mail Ponch Tobacco, per lb..... 28 c
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California Evap. Apricots, per lb..... 5c
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